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From

The J. A. Resident.

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

P-U In cont^n of G.m 348-06-1 forwards copy of a letter no 336-46 d 25. 8. 1911 from the Govt of India, Dept of Edn. - directing that the word "if required" in cl. V of the rules communicated with G.m 348-06-1 may be deleted and that double sets of estampages of inscriptions taken in one year should be sent to the Govt Epigraphist for India in a lot at the close of the year together with a list of contents.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

In view of what has been stated in G.m 348-06. at 304 and in view of the fact that six copies of the annual Archaeological Reports are sent to the Res^y no further action seems to be necessary.

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1	To the Arch. Dt comm[g] the present instructions in office is however kept up. 1-10-1911. J Stone 4/10/11
2	To the Offr in ch: of Archl Researches. No Gn 2270 dd 26.10.11 forwards copy of the enclosure rec[d] with the above for info[n]

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Resident's Office,

Bangalore, the 26th September 1911.

Letter No. 336-346, dated the 25th August 1911, from the Government of India, Department of Education.

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A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded herewith to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for information, in continuation of this office letter No. 4447, dated the 26th June 1907.

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For First Assistant Resident.

No. 336/346.

FROM

THE HON'BLE MR. H. SHARP,

Joint Secretary to the Government of India,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

„ SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

„ SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL,
GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

„ SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
UNITED PROVINCES,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

„ SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

„ REVENUE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
BURMA.

„ CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM.

„ HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE
CENTRAL PROVINCES.

„ CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

The Hon'ble „ CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMER-Merwara.

„ HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
NORTH-WEST FRONTIER PROVINCE.

Department of Education.
Archæology and Epigraphy.

Simla, the 25th August 1911.

SIR,

I AM directed to state [for the information of the Governor in Council / His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. / His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor] that the Director-General of Archæology has represented it as desirable that two copies of estampages of all inscriptions taken by Provincial Archæological officers during the year should, in future, be regularly supplied to the Government Epigraphist for India, Simla. I am accordingly to request that the words "if

required" may be (considered as deleted so far as Brahmi inscriptions are concerned) deleted from rule V (To Madras only.) of the rules regarding the decipherment and publication of Indian inscriptions, etc., which were forwarded with the Home Department letter No. *183/193, dated the 29th May 1907.

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2. I am to add that it would be convenient if the double set of estampages of inscriptions taken during the official year were sent to the Government Epigraphist for India in one lot after the close of the year, together with a list giving particulars regarding the find-place, or place of custody and material (stone slab, copper-plate, etc.) of each inscription. The estampages should be marked on the back in accordance with the accompanying list.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

H. SHARP,

Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

No.

Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Trustees of the Indian Museum for information in continuation of the Home Department endorsement No. 194, dated the 29th May 1907.

No.

Copy forwarded to the Director-General of Archæology in India, for information in continuation of the Home Department endorsement No. 195, dated the 29th May 1907, and with reference to his letter No. 532, dated the 10th June 1911.

No.

Copy forwarded to the Foreign Department for information in continuation of the Home Department office memorandum No. 196, dated the 29th May 1907.

By order,

MAHARAJ SINGH,

Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Copy forwarded to, the Officer in charge of Arch. Researches for information with refce to the correspondence ending with his letter no. 47 of 19-8-1907 to the D.P. of Edn.

By Order, etc.

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Asstt Secy.

25.10.11

List of papers forwarded.

Letter no 336-46 of 25-8-11 from the Govt of India, Department of Edn, to issuing instructions regarding the publication of newly discovered inscriptions

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